

# John T. Flynn Says:

By JOHN T. FLYNN  
NEA Service Staff Correspondent

The disaster which has overtaken Mr. J. A. Sisto and his expulsion from the Stock Exchange bring up the question: What was he doing in the Exchange?

## Pitched Battle Is Reported Between Czechs, Hungarians

Cannon, Tanks and Armored Cars Alleged Used in Border Fight

### HITLER AND POLAND

Dictator Discusses Germany's Future Plans With the Poles

BUDAPEST, Hungary. — (P) — The Hungarian government reported Friday two Czechoslovak artillery bombardments of the border city of Munkacs in a pitched battle between Czechoslovak and Hungarian forces.

Reports of the battle, which involved cannon, tanks and armored cars, spread a wave of excitement through the nation.

The foreign office announced a strong protest had been made to Prague, charging violation of Hungary's border.

### Nazis Meet Poles

BERLIN, Germany. — (P) — Hitler's three-and-a-quarter-hour meeting Thursday with Col. Joseph Beck, Polish foreign minister, was believed by competent observers Friday to mean that the chancellor had taken another major step toward realization of the Nazi determination to dominate Europe east of the Rhine.

Information from reliable quarters indicated that Hitler had sounded out Beck as to whether Poland was ready to co-operate in realizing Nazi dreams.

### Jews to Ethiopia?

ROME, Italy. — (P) — Trustworthy sources said Friday that Premier Mussolini was studying a United States proposal for the settlement of some Jewish refugees in Ethiopia.

They indicated that Jewish colonization in some regions of Italian East Africa was among the proposals in a memorandum from President Roosevelt which Ambassador Phillips delivered to Mussolini last Tuesday.

Mussolini, these sources said, showed an "encouraging attitude."

BERLIN, Germany. — (P) — A usually well-informed German editor considers press attacks on the Roosevelt administration, as represented Thursday in reaction to the president's message to Congress, as the possible prelude to a "generous offer of appeasement" by Hitler.

"It pays to watch our foe's technique when great events are in the offing," he said. "Few people could understand why Hitler in his Saarbrücken speech of October 9 made no generous gesture of appeasement toward France but spoke of increasing Western fortifications."

"We who understand him felt certain that his uncompromising language was but the forerunner to a most generous action. That action became manifest when on December 6 von Ribbentrop (German foreign minister) signed the French-German accord in Paris wherein all claims to Alsace-Lorraine are renounced for all time."

"Just be patient—you will see something wonderful emerge after these weeks of violent language."

The editor's suggestion seemed borne out by the fact that a European news agency quoted a Propaganda Ministry official as saying: "We are most anxious for good relations with the United States, the violence of newspaper comment notwithstanding."

Political-Diplomatic Correspondent, a correspondence service which speaks semi-officially for the Foreign Office, was far milder in its comment on President Roosevelt's message of Wednesday than was the daily press.

It expressed belief that Mr. Roosevelt's criticisms were inspired by considerations of domestic politics and a desire to justify his rearmament program.

"Merely to show up a danger is not enough," this service of comment asserted. "Hence it will must be incited against an alleged enemy."

It observed that "perhaps it may be said in Roosevelt's favor that he does not know the new Germany and that obviously he also cannot understand what national unity and liberation from a foreign yoke mean to a people."

The article hinted repeatedly at purchase of from 3,000,000 to 4,000,000 bales of cotton and urged American farmers to realize what a good customer Germany might become if relations between the two countries were less strained.

### A Thought

Things of God that are marvelous are to be believed on a principle of faith, not to be tried into by reason.—S. Gregory.

## CRANIUM CRACKERS

Some of the following statements are true. Some are false. Which are which?

1. A timbale is a pastry mold.
2. Alice in Wonderland is from Grimm's fairy tales.
3. The canel is a ruminating animal.
4. Anachronism means one who doesn't believe in a deity.
5. The Welland Canal is in Holland.

Answers on Page Two

# Hope Star

WEATHER, Arkansas—Increasing cloudiness, warmer in west and central portions Friday night; Saturday cloudy, warmer in extreme east, probably rain in northwest portion.

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# SENATE RELIEF PLAN

## Half-Day Strike at Brick Works Quickly Settled

Deputy Commissioner Malcolm Settles Trouble Harmoniously

### REHIRE FIRED MAN

Work at Local Plant Is to Be Resumed Saturday Morning

A strike which began Friday morning at Hope Brick company's plant was quickly settled Friday afternoon, and work will be resumed Saturday morning.

Harry Malcolm, deputy state labor commissioner, met with the management and union representatives and found both sides had violated the labor contract, according to information reaching The Star. Mr. Malcolm returned hurriedly to Little Rock and could not be reached for a statement.

The difficulty was settled harmoniously, and a negro union worker who had been discharged was rehired, according to the report from Mr. Malcolm's conference.

Picket lines which had been thrown around the brick plant during the morning were withdrawn immediately after the conference.

### Developments to Noon

A new labor dispute arose here Friday when the United Brick & Clay Workers union of Hope (AFL) left their jobs at the Hope Brick company because of what union men said was the refusal of N. P. O'Neal, owner, to hear Willard Anderson, national representative, present the union side of the case over the firing of a union employee for conviction in court on a drunkenness charge.

Mr. O'Neal, asked for a statement, said the strike "came as a surprise," and he didn't have a statement for publication at present.

Mr. O'Neal, however, said the plant employed 57 men, 10 of whom are union men and 38 non-union. O'Neal said 18 of the non-union men were at their jobs despite the strike.

This number is disputed by union men, who said only six men (non-union) were working.

### Grievance Committee

Sam Revis, president of the union, said the grievance committee conferred with Mr. O'Neal about 45 minutes Thursday afternoon over the firing of the union employee.

Mr. Revis said the committee was unable to reach an agreement with Mr. O'Neal and asked that Willard Anderson, national representative, be called in.

Mr. Revis said Mr. O'Neal refused to hear Mr. Anderson.

This is the basis of the strike, Mr. Revis said. He cited the union labor contract with the brick company and pointed out a section which he said declared that a national representative may be called in whenever the grievance committee is unable to reach a settlement.

### The Union's Side

Back of the firing of the union man is discrimination, Mr. Revis said, as he related the following story:

"Several days ago Julius Stewart and Robert Moore, both negroes, were convicted in Hope municipal court."

"Stewart, a union employee, was fined \$10 for drunkenness. Mr. O'Neal fired Stewart."

"Moore, a non-union man, was convicted for carrying a pistol and for gambling and fined a total of \$60. Mr. O'Neal retained him."

"Stewart was convicted during the Christmas holidays and while he was out on duty. He was entirely sober when he returned to the job, but was soon fired," Mr. Revis continued.

Mr. Anderson said 34 men were members of the union, all of whom had worked at the brick company since signing of the labor contract in November of 1938. The list now has dwindled to 19 who have managed to retain their jobs.

Mr. Anderson said the union met Thursday night and voted unanimously for the strike. He estimated that approximately 60 pickets and sympathizers were at their posts at the beginning of the day's work Friday.

He said pickets had been instructed against violence and that no one would be molested. He also said it was the desire of the union to co-operate with city and county officials.

Harry Malcolm, deputy state labor commissioner, of Little Rock, and Frank Kiger, of Chicago, vice-president of the national union of Brick & Clay Workers, are expected to arrive in Hope late Friday afternoon.

## Cotton

NEW ORLEANS. — (P) — January cotton opened Friday at 8.44 bid and closed at 8.41 bid, 8.43 asked.

Spot cotton closed seven points lower, middling 8.58.

## Naval Superiority in Pacific, and New Bases in Atlantic, Are Needed by U. S. A.

### Naval Bases for Pacific Ought to Keep Japs in Hand

Major Eliot Outlines Problem of Warfare in the Orient

### DANGER IS LIMITED

Japan Could Do No More Than Seize Philippines, Raid Commerce

How—and from what direction—might war come to us? ... This is the fifth of six articles in which George Fielding Eliot, former U. S. Army major and distinguished author of "The Ramparts We Watch," examines the problem of defending America.

By GEORGE FIELDING ELIOT (Copyright, 1939, NEA Service, Inc.)

Wars don't just happen. They arise out of differences between nations, or are deliberately begun by one side as an instrument of achieving national ambition, or from fear.

The planners of our national defense must consider (1) why we might be drawn into war with various nations; (2) what we would be trying to achieve by such a war, and (3) what means are at our disposal and at their disposal to gain these respective ends.

To take our Pacific front first, there is but one nation in that area with which we are likely to be involved in hostilities.

Japan. A war with Japan will not be apt to occur because of something Japan does to us in our own part of the world. It will be far more apt to occur because of something which Japan does in Asia which we object to and are determined to stop, even by force.

Thus we might go to war to compel Japan to cease interference with our trade in the Far East. This would very likely come as the last act in a long contest, begun by trade reprisals, economic embargoes, and similar measures. Or we might be confronted by a Japanese attempt to seize the Philippines, perhaps as one result of our cutting off her oil imports from this country—the Philippines being a stepping stone to the Dutch East Indies, her most important source of oil supply next to the United States.

A war with Japan would be a long-drawn out affair. There is very little more that Japan could do to injure us, once she had seized the Philippines and Guam and wiped out our military and commercial establishments in China.

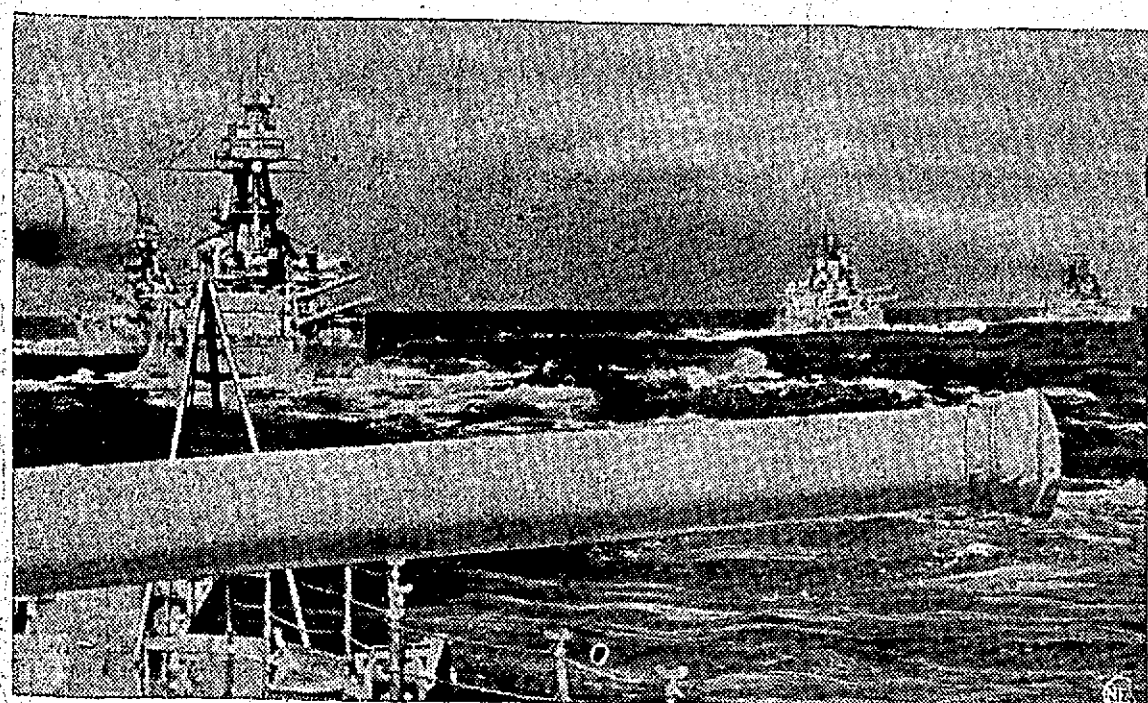
While our navy remained superior, she could not send overseas such a great expedition as would be needed to attack Hawaii, much less our west coast. Small air raids from carriers might be delivered against our coastal cities, and commerce raiders might attack our merchant shipping sporadically. That would be about all, and these things we could eventually deal with.

But for us to bring Japan to terms, it would be needful for us to establish a base in the Western Pacific from which our navy could so interfere with Japan's sea communications—upon which, as she becomes more and more industrialized, she is increasingly dependent—as to compel her either to abandon the contest, or make a last desperate effort for relief by sending her fleet out to fight.

Thus, in considering the strategy of the Pacific, the all-important consideration for us is always to maintain a considerable naval superiority over Japan. While we have such superiority, we can, if needs must, although at great trouble and with heavy loss, so gravely threaten Japan as to force her to yield. Japan, on the other hand, can never do the like by us while her fleet remains inferior.

Our best hope of staying out of so costly and terrible a war as would be entailed in the step-by-step process of fighting our way across the Pacific until we had come close enough for our purpose will be to keep up our naval and military establishments at a level at which there will be no doubt in Japanese minds of our ability to inflict deadly injury upon them if they compel us to. The chances will then be excellent that they will not enter upon a course of action in which risk

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"The all-important consideration for us is always to maintain a considerable naval superiority over Japan" ... American vessels of war maneuver "somewhere in the Pacific."



The fact that any conqueror of Denmark might conveniently use the Faeroe Islands, Greenland and Iceland as aerial stepping-stones to America, would make desirable the establishment of U. S. air and naval bases in Newfoundland. Similarly, this map shows the strategic importance—to the United States—of British-governed Bermuda, 680 miles away from New York, and of the British-governed Bahamas, off Florida.

## 10 Consecutive Deficit Years If F. D.'s Forecast Is Correct

Nation Now Loses More in One Year Than Its Entire Federal Debt Back in 1914

WASHINGTON. — (P) — The \$4,458,000,000 public debt which President Roosevelt predicts for 1940 will make the government's pre-war indebtedness look like a nickel's worth of bird seed.

Back in 1914, when the world war broke out, the public debt was \$1,185,235,400. Aiding the allies financially and in the trenches swept it upward and by 1919 the figure reached \$25,482,034,419.

Then began the slow process of paying the war-time borrowing. The lowest point of the debt at any fiscal year-end since the war was in 1930, when it decreased to \$16,185,308,299.

The upward march of the government's obligations since then, as reported or estimated in Mr. Roosevelt's budget message, is as follows:

Year	Amount
1931	\$16,801,000,000
1932	\$19,487,000,000
1933	\$22,539,000,000
1934	\$27,053,000,000
1935	\$28,701,000,000
1936	\$33,778,000,000
1937	\$36,425,000,000
1938	\$37,165,000,000
1939	\$41,132,000,000
1940	\$44,458,000,000

Prior to World war days, the country had experienced with a debt of \$2,000,000,000 an over during and following the Civil war. The present legal limitation on the debt—\$45,000,000,000—was imposed by Congress in 1917.

If President Roosevelt's forecasts for 1940 come true, the government will have a record then of spending more than it has taken in for 10 straight years.

The string of deficits began in 1931, after the Treasury had reported a surplus of \$183,789,210 for the previous year. The actual or estimated deficits

## Judges Ask Hike in Turnback Fund

Oppose Plea of Cities for Share of Tax to Maintain Streets

LITTLE ROCK. — (P) — The Arkansas County Judges association Friday asked the legislature for an increase in the county gasoline tax turnback from one-fourth to one-half cent per gallon.

The association also voted to support the fight by municipalities for additional state financial aid; but opposed a proposal by the Arkansas Municipal league that the cities be given a share of the gasoline tax turnback for street maintenance.

## Urge Curtailing of Confederate Home

U. D. C. Supports Proposal to Oust Daughters of Veterans

LITTLE ROCK. — Explaining "this law has been badly abused," the Arkansas Division, U. D. C., through its legislative chairman, Mrs. T. B. Benton of Little Rock, recommended to Governor Bailey Thursday that the 1939 legislature repeal a law admitting daughters of Confederate veterans to residence in the Arkansas Confederate Home.

Repeal was suggested by Governor Bailey two weeks ago in conference with members of the General Assembly.

In a letter to the governor, Mrs. (Continued on Page Three)

## Senate Group to Ask 'Earmarking' of Appropriations

Would Strip the WPA of Authority to Allocate Funds to States

### TAXES UP TO F. D.

Congress Thinks President Should Indicate Source of Tax

WASHINGTON. — (P) — Members of the senate unemployment committee agreed informally Friday to attempt to earmark future distribution of federal funds with a formula which would strip the WPA administration of virtually all discretion in allocating state quotas.

Chairman Byrnes, South Carolina Democrat, said the committee would meet next week to go over the "various suggestions to be made by its members with the hope of evolving a simple formula, that could be inserted in the relief appropriation bills."

Senator McNair, Montana Democrat, administration supporter, said he favored such a formula in the proposed \$75-million-dollar appropriation taken under consideration Friday by the house appropriation subcommittee.

### Check Taxes to F. D.

WASHINGTON. — (P) — Congress is going to wait a while before considering President Roosevelt's request for "moderate tax increases" to meet greater farm and defense costs.

Chairman Doughton, North Carolina Democrat, said Friday that the house tax and means committee, which is studying the request, wanted to look over the March income tax receipts before tackling any general tax legislation.

Some committeemen said they might not feel much like starting a hunt for more taxes unless the president sent a special request, perhaps suggesting a source of revenue.

### To Probe Alien Groups

WASHINGTON. — (P) — President Roosevelt said Friday that the Department of Justice had undertaken the investigation of alleged violations of the criminal statutes by Nazis, Communists, and certain other organizations in this country.

Roosevelt said Attorney General Murphy had informed him of this in a letter, which was not made public, but the president said the alleged violations were submitted to the department by the Dies committee investigating un-American activities.

## Mad Slayer of 13 Sought by Police

Man Wrote Cleveland Officers Telling of Latest Victim

LOS ANGELES. — (P) — A man claiming to be the slayer of 13 persons in Cleveland was sought here Thursday night as police studied a letter he purportedly wrote telling the whereabouts of his "latest victim, the head, minus features, buried in a gully, between two boulevards" in Los Angeles.

The letter was postmarked in Los Angeles and addressed to Chief of Police George J. Matwatz of Cleveland. A photostatic copy was sent here to Police Chief Davidson.

It read:

"You can rest easy now, as I have come out to sunny California for the winter. I felt bad operating on those people, but science must advance. I shall atone the medical profession, a man with only a D. C."

"What did their lives mean in comparison to hundreds of sick and diseased, twisted bodies? Just laboratory guinea pigs found on any public street. No one missed them when I failed. My last case was successful. I know the feeling of Pasteur, Thoreau and other pioneers. Right now I have a volunteer who will prove my theories. They call me mad and a butcher, but the truth will out."

"I feel it is my duty to dispose of the bodies as I do. It is God's will not to let them suffer, signed 'X'."

Chief Matwatz wrote that the Cleveland slayer is believed to be a physician with a full knowledge of anatomy. In most instances the heads and bodies were found in separate places. The bodies bore evidence of skillful surgery.

Police planned to spend up Friday unoccupied ground in the area mentioned by the writer.

### Horses and Husbands

OMAHA, Neb. — (P) — More care is shown in buying a horse than some girls exercise in selecting husbands, said District Judge Rhodes when granting divorces ending two school-girl elopements.



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## Success Story

Those snappily-uniformed, super-courteous young men who do everything but shine your shoes when you drive into a filling station may be expected to break out in a new rash of charm with the latest success story from Hollywood.

It seems talent scouts reported back to Samuel Goldwyn that a tall Texan at a suburban gas station dispensed gas "with the charm of a Gable." The producer drove out to see for himself and the attendant's charm worked on Mr. Goldwyn too. Result: the slightly dazed young man got a contract.

Handsome young guys who have been getting a little discouraged while they kept themselves smooth-shaven and their uniforms immaculate should take heart.

## Uninhibited

Whatever friend or foe of the New Deal may say for or against, there would seem to be one point upon which accord is easy:

The government at Washington isn't bothered much by inhibitions. One example is the naming of Republican Alf Landon to the Lima, Peru, delegation and the latest is the announcement by new Secretary of Commerce Harry Hopkins (you remember him, WPA Hopkins) that he is about to engage in a nation-wide drive to put millions of unemployed back to work in private industry.

That's pretty healthy behavior. Mr. Hopkins as WPA czar worked zealously at the task of providing for the unemployed, incurred considerable wrath from private enterprise. But that doesn't seem to cramp his style in his new job.

## Machine Set

That much-maligned Machine Age we live in would seem to have some compensations after all.

It isn't all robots and treadmills and men's souls-crushed-by-the-Great-God-machine stuff. Take the case of Charles Cope of Elizabethtown, Pa. Mr. Cope suffered a compound fracture of the arm while cranking his auto. On the way to a Harrisburg hospital, his car stopped suddenly, threw him forward. The sudden jerk set one of the fractures. The doctors set the other.

Mark up a credit for the Machine Age.

# The Family Doctor

T. M. Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.

By DR. MORRIS FISHEIN  
Editor, Journal of the American Medical Association, and of Hygeia, the Health Magazine

## Controlled Diet Is Clew to Weight Reduction in Majority of Cases

Repeatedly I have pointed out in these columns that for most people a reduction of weight depends on good physiologic bookkeeping. This means either be used up and exercised or else it remains in the body in the form of tissue which adds to weight.

Recently a physician in New York reported the case of a woman who weighed 385½ pounds and who reduced her weight to 156½ pounds in 20 months.

Her health improved steadily throughout this period and has been excellent since. The woman was 32 years old. She had been married when she was 17 and at that time weighed 260 pounds. The most she had ever weighed was 402 pounds.

She had been used to sleeping from eight to 10 hours a night and had an excellent appetite.

Her father weighed almost 300 lbs. and her brothers and sisters were also around 200 pounds most of the time. This woman who weighed almost 400 pounds, was only 5 feet, 3 inches tall.

The first step was to determine whether or not the condition was due to overeating or the result of some glandular disturbance. The physicians determined there was no definite deficiency in her glands and decided to treat her as simply a case of overweight due to excessive food.

She was given a diet which approximated about 600 calories a day since her habits of life were not such as to use up much material by way of work. A study of her basal metabolism showed a tendency to be slightly lower than normal so that it was decided also to give her material from the thyroid gland which would speed up the chemistry of the body.

She began to lose weight promptly and consistently so that within a

year and a half her weight had dropped from 385 pounds to 156 pounds. Cases of this type show how benefit can be derived for the average human being from scientific control over diet.

A 120-year-old highway marker still stands on a road near Salisbury, N. C., to show the fact that Danville, Va., is 81 miles northward.

# A Book a Day

By Bruce Catton

Delving Into Barretts' Ills

Fantastic is the maze of legend and fact woven about the Barretts of Wimpole street down through the years. The picture of the domineering father is particularly well fixed. But the story of the famous English family has been confined heretofore almost entirely to the British period of its history.

Now comes an exhaustive study of the clan, based in great measure on the Jamaican background of the house, "The Family of the Barretts," by Jeanette Marks (Macmillan: \$5). To read it is to throw a new perspective on the lives of Elizabeth Barrett and Robert Browning.

For both traced their ancestors to baronial Jamaica: Elizabeth's were wealthy slave owners and Brown-

ing's great-great grandfather, Edward Tittle, was a shoemaker in Port Royal. It is to the Barretts, of course, that Miss Marks devotes most of her story. They were thoroughly introverted, building up their own family fortunes, intermarrying to extend and preserve their wealth, drawing a sort of social wall about themselves.

By the time Edward Moulton Barrett was born, Elizabeth father, the family virtually ruled Jamaica. Edward was sent to England to live. He became the family's most famous son, mostly because he was Elizabeth's father. But Edward Barrett's tyranny as a father was not due to psycho-sexual factors, Miss Marks believes. Financial reverse, a natural bent for introversion and religious fanaticism explain much of the attitude of the man. In his later years he was probably even insane.

In like manner, Miss Marks carefully examines the other members of the family, producing in all a significant, illuminating book.—P.G.F.

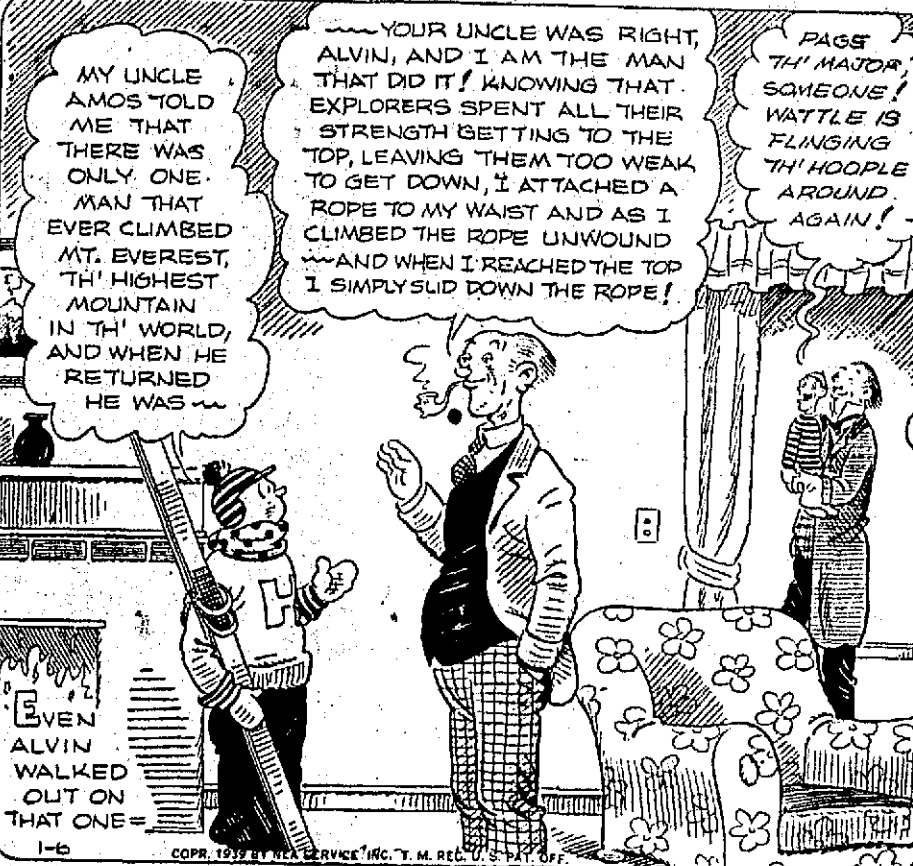


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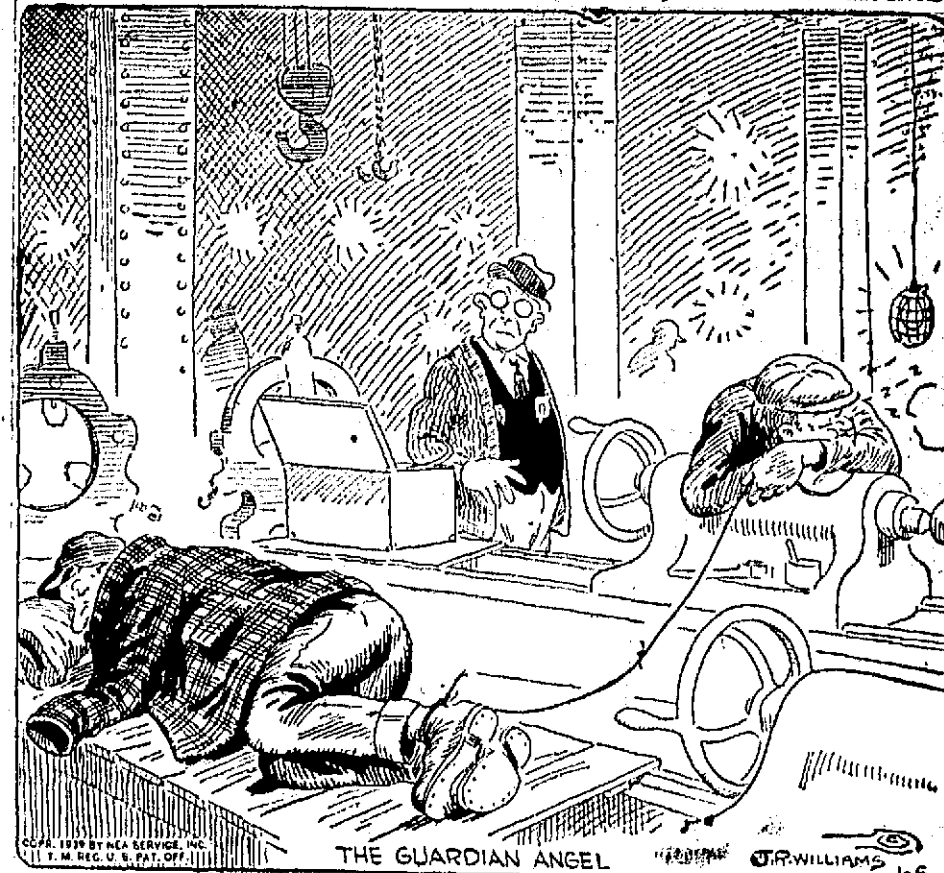
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## BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

Seeing Boots Home

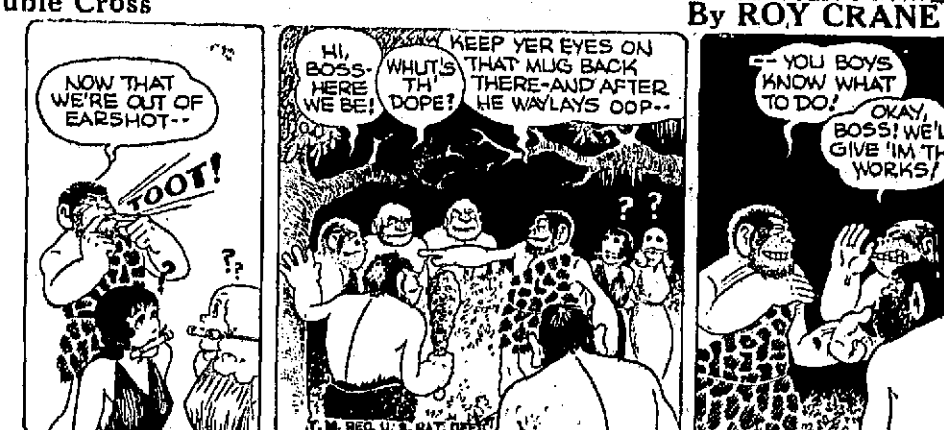
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## ALLEY OOP

The Old Double Cross

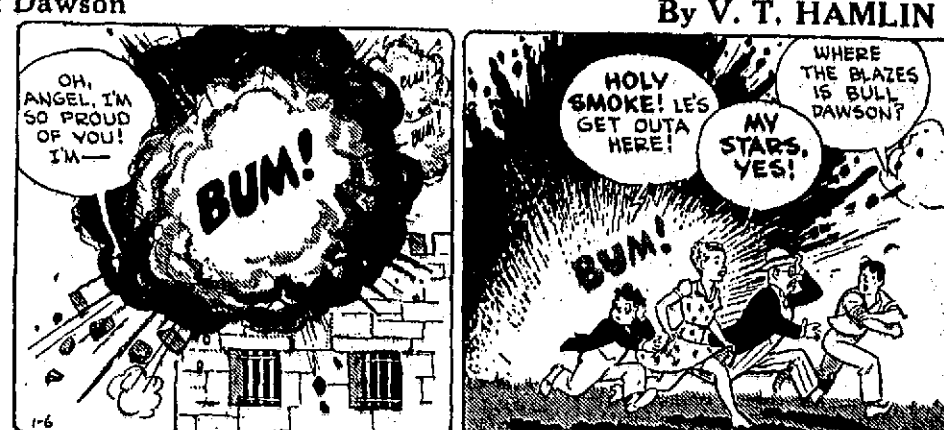
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## WASH TUBBS

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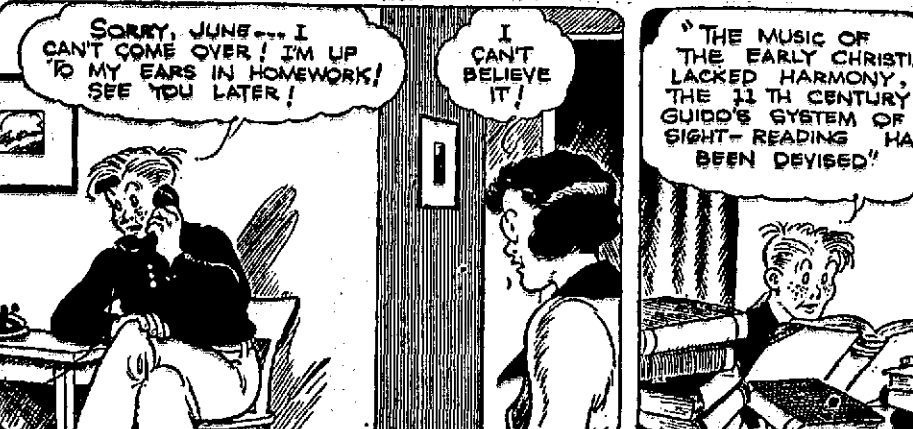
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## FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

Ask Pa, He Knows

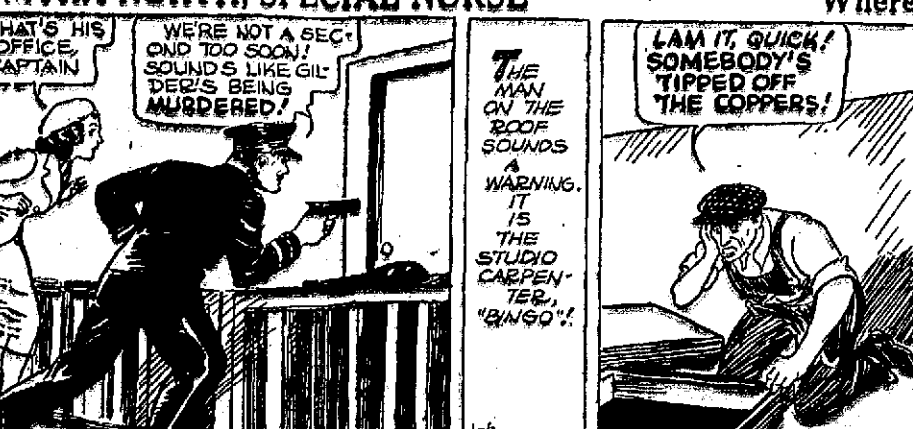
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## MYRA NORTH, SPECIAL NURSE

Where's Gilder?

By Ray Thompson and Charles Coll



## FOR RENT

FOR RENT—2 unfurnished bed rooms adjoining bath. Private entrance. 218W, Ave C. 4-3tp

FOR RENT—Cheap. One 2 room apartment unfurnished. Also a one room apartment furnished. In Dr. Weaver home by High School. 5-6f

FOR RENT—6 room furnished house. 406 So. Spruce. Phone 38F11. Mrs. J. E. Schooley. 5-6f

FOR RENT—New four room, unfurnished apt. 5th & Pine. See Charles Bader. 5-3tp

FOR RENT—2 unfurnished rooms adjoining bath. Private entrance. 218W, Ave C. 5-3tp

ROOM FOR RENT—With board, also table boarders wanted. 403 W. Division. Phone 71. 6-3tp

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LOST—One red horse mule wt. about 900 lbs. One dark brown mare mule wt. 900 lbs. Notify White & Co., at Hope, or Fulton. 3-3tp

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SEIZED FOR DEBT—Must be sold, nice house and lot. Good location. See Tyler, 118 South Main street. 3-3tp

FOR SALE—Johnson grass and clover hay mixed, 25c per bale. C. G. Critchlow, Emmet, Ark. 3-3tp

85 acre, 5 room house, tenant house, two cribs. Deep well. 1½ miles city limits on gravelled highway. Price \$700.00 if sold by 10 th. TYLER Boyette Barber Shop 3-3tp

FOR SALE—No. 1 yellow corn for sale. C. L. Shop, Hope, Ark. 5-6tp

FOR SALE—Billies place six miles north of Hope on highway No. 67, price \$1500 cash. Apply Zelma Billie Junction City, Ark. % C. O. Dove. 4-3tp

## Today's Answers to CRANUM CRACKERS

Question on Page One  
1. True. A timbale is a pastry mold.  
2. False. "Alice in Wonderland" was written by Lewis Carroll.  
3. True. The camel is a ruminating or cud-chewing animal.  
4. False. Anachronistic means a confusion in time or order.  
5. False. The Welland Canal is in Canada.

## Off to Fast Start

EAST LANSING—Michigan State basketball players start off each practice session with a quarter-mile sprint that being the distance between the dressing rooms in the gym to the playing court in Demonstration Hall.

## BASEBALL EXPERT

### HORIZONTAL

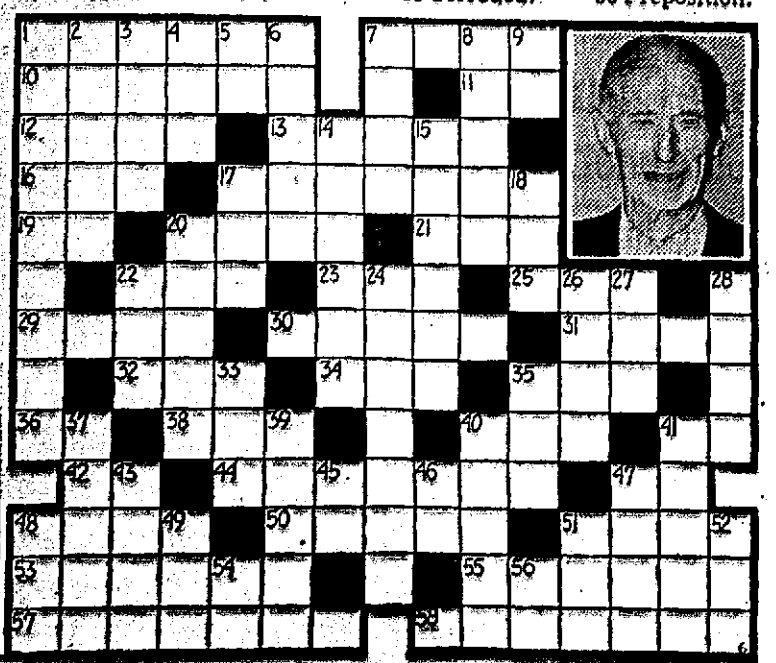
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- 10 Salt of oleic acid.
- 11 Hawaiian bird.
- 12 To sleep.
- 13 To feast.
- 16 Insect's egg.
- 17 Half gable.
- 19 Type measure.
- 20 Entreaty.
- 21 Native metal.
- 22 To skip.
- 23 Small child.
- 25 Joker.
- 29 Mohammedan priest.
- 30 Insurgent.
- 31 Precious metal.
- 32 To examine secretly.
- 34 Accomplished.
- 35 However.
- 36 South America.
- 38 Tree fluid.
- 40 To woe.
- 41 Northeast.
- 42 Railroad.

### Answer to Previous Puzzle

1. NAIL TOO MANY  
2. BRAVURA COAR  
3. ERRS CREST SERE  
4. DROPS ART FOLDS  
5. SARAPE BU TOO MANY  
6. TAT COOKS  
7. BEL CURIARE  
8. AS DO ERA  
9. NITAMS DO THE BROTH  
10. TROPICS MARTIAL  
11. EER CAPRINE ABA  
12. RASP ROAMS TRES  
13. SPOIL THE BROTH

### VERTICAL

- 17 High mountain.
- 18 Modern.
- 20 Ostentatious display.
- 22 Possesses.
- 24 He is known for his — to handle baseball players.
- 26 Chill.
- 27 Acquired.
- 28 Brim.
- 33 Sweet potato.
- 35 Public auto.
- 37 Amphitheater center.
- 39 To analyze.
- 40 Account of game points.
- 41 Giantess of fate.
- 43 Shower.
- 45 North Africa.
- 46 Sloth.
- 47 Den.
- 48 Male cat.
- 49 Ratite bird.
- 51 Unit.
- 52 Coin.
- 54 No good.
- 56 Preposition.





# Society

**MRS. SID HENRY** **TELEPHONE 821**

Fame smiled at him and said:  
Well done indeed, today!  
A laurel for your head  
And cheers along the way.  
A medal for your breast,  
For this day you've done your best!

Has triumph made you vain?  
That you'll attempt no more?  
There still are heights to gain  
Harder than those before.  
Safely you've struggled through  
These troubled and perplexed times,  
Success has smiled on you  
And we think you've done fine!

The above selection is addressed to one of our old neighbor boys, who we knew from a small pudgy dark eyed lad, on through high school, and when we read in the Friday issue of the Arkansas Gazette that William Q. Warren son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Warren of South Main street had been promoted from manager of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. in Fort Smith to manager of that Company's office in St. Louis, another Hope boy was added to our list of Hope boys who have gone out from amongst us and made good. Congratulations, Willie, and remember the eyes of Hope are upon you.

The Y. W. A. First Baptist church will meet at the church at 6 o'clock, Monday evening.

Mrs. Herbert Arnold has returned from Springfield, Mo., where she was called to attend the bedside of her aunt, Mrs. Bernice Simpson, and friends will be glad to know that her condition is improved.

Fred Cook was a Thursday business visitor in Conway.

The Paisley P. T. A. held its January meeting on Thursday afternoon at the Paisley school and an enrollment of 67 mothers was reported by the secretary, Mrs. Guy Card. The president's message was read by Mrs. Mac Duffie. A most interesting program followed, Mrs. Joe Laseter discussed, "Approach to the Schools," and Mrs. Seena Gibson discussed "Why Parents Visit Schools and What They Observe." Mrs. Webb Laseter Jr., led the discussion on "When to Visit the Schools." A short business period was conducted by the president, Mrs. Geo. Norheut.

The different circles of the Women's Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian church will meet at 3 o'clock, Monday evening.

## Naval Base for

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so heavily outweighs advantage.

In the Atlantic, the most serious threat of war—other than becoming involved in a European conflict as we were in 1917—seems to be a German or German-Italian attempt to establish areas of conquest in Latin-America, either directly or by supporting dissident factions in some Latin-American country.

In either case, the attempt must be based on sea communications, and is initially a matter to be dealt with by our navy. While the strength of the latter may be sufficient in ships, it needs also bases to give it freedom of action. Agreements with Latin American states to this end will be useful, especially with Brazil, whose ports command the greater part of the South Atlantic Ocean, where we have no bases at all.

The air threat, to which Britain and France were compelled to yield at Munich, is hardly serious for us as yet. Yet it is as well to realize that this is only true while no bases on this side of the Atlantic are in the possession of any aggressive-minded nation.

The northeastern part of our country, where are concentrated our centers of political, industrial, commercial and financial power and a third of our population, affords an objective for enemy bombers scarcely less tempting than the midland of Great Britain. The defense of this part of the country, if it be threatened, must ever be our first consideration.

The mass flight of Air-Marshall Balbo, via the Faeroes, Iceland, Greenland and Labrador, showed the practicability of this air route. The first three stepping-stones belong to, or are controlled by, Denmark, which country is a neighbor of expanding Germany and has unsettled territorial questions with her.

It is none too soon to consider the question of obtaining the right to establish strong air and naval bases in the island of Newfoundland—at present wholly undefended and open to seizure as the final link between Greenland and our northeast—where we could provide amply for defense against any attack from this direction.

Similar considerations apply to Bermuda, which is but 689 miles from New York. We could not afford to allow Bermuda to fall into the hands

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## RAILTO

—FRI-SAT—  
DOUBLE FEATURE  
"Black Bandit"  
and  
"Frontier of 49"

## SAENGED

FRI.  
"3 Loves Has Nancy"

SATURDAY  
3 MESQUITEERS in  
"RED RIVER RANGE"  
—and—  
"SPRING MADNESS"

SUNDAY-MONDAY-TUESDAY  
MID-NIGHT SHOW RIALTO SATURDAY

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Two dirty-faced kids running for freedom—a split second, a single stride—and one of them was made into a killer! May the memory of his story save a million others from his fate!

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## Chesterfield Ad Campaign Begins

### Blend of Cigarette That Satisfies Can't Be Copied

The right combination of the world's best cigarette tobaccos in a blend that can't be copied is the theme of the national newspaper advertising for the first quarter of 1939 just released by the Liggett & Myers Tobacco Company for Chesterfield Cigarettes.

In continuing its country-wide campaign in both newspapers and magazines Chesterfield forcefully repeats the mildness and good taste of Chesterfield's fine quality tobaccos and continues to drive home the pleasure of smoking the cigarette that satisfies.

Chesterfield's "right combination" story is enlivened and humanized by the use of photographs of well-known personalities such as Hal Sims, the bridge expert, Veloz and Yolande, society dancers, The Lying Wellendos of circus fame, Miss Marilyn Meske, winner of the recent Miss America contest, the famous Rockettes of Radio City Music Hall, George Brent, Olivia de Havilland and John Payne of the picture "Wings of the Navy" and others of national note.

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TOMORROW: The "why" of national defense.

**NEW** **LAST DAY FRIDAY**  
**Bobby Breen**  
—in—  
**'Breaking the Ice'**  
(Bring the Family)

**SATURDAY**  
**ROY ROGERS**  
A New Star—in—  
**"COME ON RANGERS"**  
No. 6 "Lone Ranger"

**DEANNA DURBIN**  
"Your New All American Girl" Too Old for Dolls; Too Young for Love!  
—and—

**JACKIE COOPER**  
"Yep he's getting to the age where he'd rather you wouldn't call him Jackie!"  
—and—  
"Look Whose Wife!"

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—with—  
Molyn Douglas, Irene Rich, Nancy Carroll, John Halliday, Jackie Seary, and Juanita Quigley

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**Specialty Shop**



Hands raised in collective path to support the Constitution under which they have been elected to represent the people, the members of the incoming Congress re-enact for the 76th time in the country's history the drama of self-government. Speaker Bankhead, presiding over the House, may be seen on the rostrum.

## RAISING A FAMILY

By Olive Roberts Barton

### Earnest Men Make the Best Husbands

Susan had several suitors. One of them was young Murland, whose father was rich. And then there were Peter and Otis—the first extremely handsome, the Gary Cooper type; the other, sensible and ambitious and kind. Murland spent money on the girls like a sailor on leave.

He had lately been asking Sue to go around a lot. This was a signal to Sue's mother.

"A girl has to half the courting, Susan," she said once. Another time she remarked that love flew out the window the minute the wolf sniffed at the door, and a husband with money was a rare person in these days.

After a couple of weeks of this, Sue said, "I know you would be tickled to death, mother dear, if your own

little Suzy would marry Murland. Wouldn't you love to see me all settled with no worries except a handsome husband who would have half the women in town after him and is headed for at least three divorces? No woman could keep him long. I wouldn't let myself fall in love with him for all the money in the world. I'm funny, that way."

"All right, my dear," I shouldn't have insisted. I only want you to be happy. And, naturally, I want my girl to have the best of everything. I hope I haven't been too mercenary."

"Not a bit, mother. You are as natural as air. Most mothers, want their girls, and believe it or not, their boys, too, to make money-matches if possible."

"I won't interfere any more, Sue. But tell me one thing, if you don't think I'm prying. Do you care for either Peter or Otis?"

"I like Peter."

"Tow of a kind."

"But he's like Murt. He is so handsome he will be the object of attention too."

"I know," sighed Susan. "And he's lazy and sentimental. Every girl he's with thinks she is the dream of his heart. I wouldn't have to work very hard to get him. But I'd have to get a job to help with expenses. He can't seem to make the grade. He never will. I know that."

"How about Otis? He is terribly fond of you, but he is so—"

"I know. Homely. But I think I am going to marry him some day. He's so practical and kind. And he wants a home and family."

"And me thinking you had a heart. Why, Susan, I am shocked. But you are right. Take the man who loves you. You will soon love him."

"I do now," said Susan, demurely.

### Family Reunion

**NEW YORK**—Ford Frick, National League president, sailed for England to spend the holidays with his son, an honor student at Cambridge.

**LOS ANGELES**—Eric Tipton, Duke's great punter, prefers baseball to football, and will receive a tryout with the Yankees in 1939.

meant by "shrunk" or "preshrunk," says a new rule for the industry.

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# NEWS CHURCHES

FIRST METHODIST  
Kenneth L. Spore, Pastor

At the morning service, 11 a. m., Sunday, the Pastor, the Rev. Kenneth L. Spore, will have for his sermon subject, "My Father's Business."

The evening sermon, 7:30 p. m., will have for its subject "There Are Other Little Ships."

The choir, under the direction of Mrs. B. C. Hyatt, will present special music at the morning service.

**GARRETT MEMORIAL BAPTIST**  
Hollis A. Purdie, Pastor

Sunday school opens 9:45. Grady Hairston, superintendent. If you are not already in Sunday school, bring your family and come here. A hearty welcome awaits you.

Our pastor will preach at 11 a. m. Subject, "A Successful Life." If you like the old time Gospel given under the power of the Spirit, come and worship with us.

Young People's Training Course will meet at 6 p. m.

We are meeting thirty minutes early to make time for our visiting singers. We are to have a special song service Sunday night, sponsored by Austin Franks, beginning at 7 p. m. Our pastor will preach at 7:30 p. m. using as his subject, "Can Man Know the Future?" The singing will be resumed at 8 p. m. lasting as long as the singers see fit to continue. Special arrangements are being made to take care of the crowd. Come worship, sing, and pray with us.

Ladies Auxiliary will hold their regular social meeting Tuesday 2:30 p. m. January 10, at the home of Mrs. Olen Purdie. You are welcome to this meeting.

## HINTON CHURCH

We, the people of Hinton community are very glad to have Rev. Mashburn with us for our preacher this year. He will preach Sunday morning at 11 and Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. We invite everyone to come and bring someone with you.

We have singing each Sunday night that we don't have preaching. We expect to have a large crowd and some good singing next Sunday night. The lights and windows are being repaired this week and the church will be in good condition next Sunday night.

We urge that everyone come, bring your song books and help us out.

**HOPE GOSPEL TABERNACLE**  
Bert Webb, Pastor

The Tabernacle Sunday school averaged 304 for each Sunday during 1938. Growth is necessary, plan to be present next Sunday; share the blessing of a spiritual, well organized Sunday school.

Communion will be observed at the 11 o'clock morning worship service next Sunday at which time the pastor will deliver a sermon along that line of truth. He will also speak in the evening evangelistic service beginning at 7:30.

Bible Study, Christ's Ambassadors and Children's Church meet at 6:30 each Sunday evening.

Spend an enjoyable hour Sunday

## Weekly Sunday School Lesson

By WM. E. GILROY, D. D.  
Editor of Advance

Peter Commended and Rebuked  
Text: Matthew 16:13-25

"Peter commended and rebuked." How well that seems to sum up a great deal in the life of Peter, both during the days of his earthly association with our Lord as a disciple and as an apostle and founder of the Christian Church.

Later on we shall find Peter, after his Master who commended and rebuked him in love had been crucified, commended by the greatness of the occasion when he preached at Pentecost but rebuked ignominiously in the vision on the housetop as he was still in his pride and narrowness disposed to be a respecter of men and to call unclean the things that God had cleansed. How much these words concerning Peter—"commended and rebuked"—might apply to us all, for which one of us has not something to be commended and a great deal to be rebuked?

It is this nearness of Peter to ourselves that makes him so vital a study for Christians today, and that makes these lessons so incisive and helpful in establishing our own faith and vision. Here in our lesson we find Peter making the great confession of his belief in Jesus as the Christ or the Messiah, the son of the living God.

The words in which Jesus replied to Peter have been the occasion of a great controversy in history and in some measure a division of the Christian Church. The Roman Catholic Church interprets these words with considerable literalness and establishes its authority upon the suggestion that at the Tabernacle, it is Hope's Full-gospel center.

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First Presbyterian  
Thos. Brewster, Minister

Sunday school 9:45 a. m.  
Morning worship, 10:55 o'clock.  
Vesper service 5 p. m.  
Senior Young Peoples meeting 6:15 p. m.

Mid-week service Wednesday 7:30. Auxiliary Circle meetings, Monday at 3 p. m.

You are cordially invited to attend all of the church activities.

Monthly supper meeting of the Men of the Church, Tuesday night at the church at 7 o'clock. The special speaker will be Dr. Kirk Inosely of China, one of our medical missionaries. Our men are urged to be present.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
J. A. Copeland, Minister

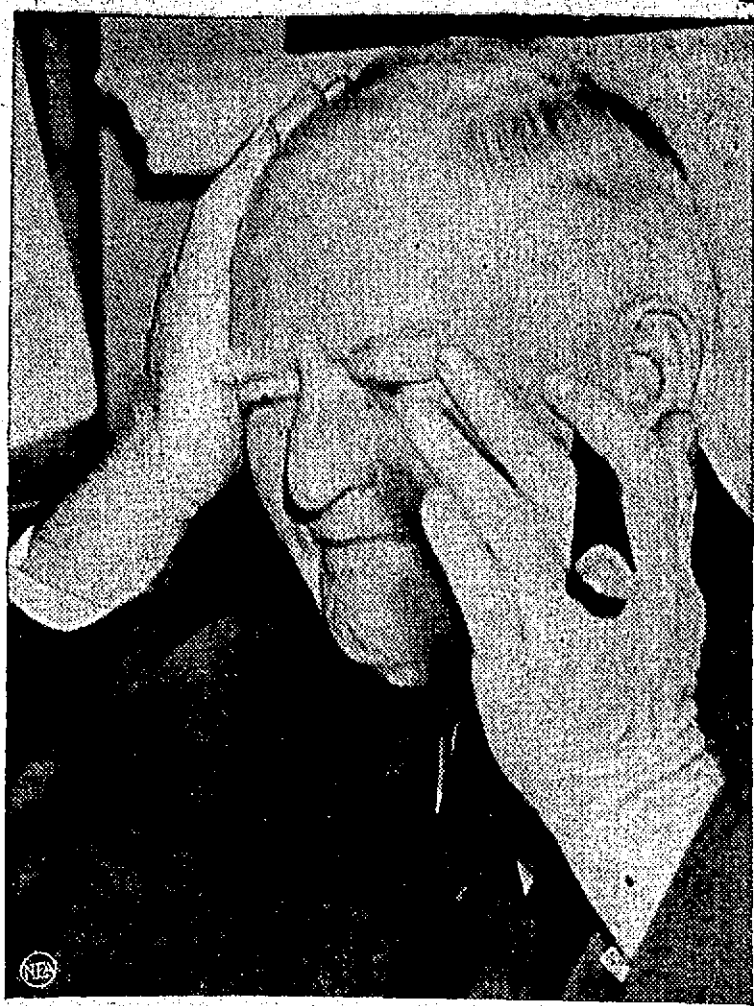
Morning services: Bible Lesson, 10 o'clock. Preaching 11 o'clock.  
Evening services: Young Peoples Bible lesson, 6:30. Preaching 7:30.

We urge all of the members to get to church in time for the Bible classes. We are greatly encouraged by the splendid growth of our congregations recently.

The minister will speak Sunday morning on the subject, "Opportunity and Opposition," and Sunday night his subject will be "Personal Responsibility."

Come let us reason together.

## Perplexed, John? So's Everybody



That stream of incoming members assembling for the 76th Congress seems to have momentarily baffled Vice President John Nance Garner whose role in national politics looms larger than ever. "Cactus Jack" wrinkles his face in perplexity which the camera registers faithfully.

cession to Peter as the first bishop of the Christian Church, the man to whom Jesus committed the keys of the Kingdom of Heaven. Protestants interpret the words in a more spiritual and mystical sense.

They point to the fact that almost immediately afterwards Jesus rebuked Peter with the startling words, "Get thee behind me, Satan." They take the whole passage as one, and they regard as this rock upon which the Church is built not the weak and immature Peter but the Peter of the moment of that great confession and the faith that Peter expressed. They point to the fact that it is by the words and acts of the disciples of Jesus that the Kingdom of Heaven is advanced or retarded, and that, much as Christians might wish to be relieved of the responsibility, they do by their own words and actions bind or loosen it. Into these controversies the teacher cannot very well go, but they cannot be altogether ignored for they have had historical reality.

Perhaps we could give altogether too much importance to questionable interpretations. The one thing that is sure is that no church on earth—no matter what its name or its profession—will, in truth and reality, represent the Kingdom of Heaven on earth except as the Kingdom of Heaven is enshrined in its life and its teachings. The great truth concerning Christians and Christianity is that "if any man have not the spirit of Christ, he is none of this." In all churches and in all creeds wherever men have found the manifestation of God and have yielded themselves in devotion and consecration, the Kingdom of Heaven has become established in their hearts and in their relationships.

Why did Jesus rebuke Peter so keenly when Peter urged Him that He should not go to Jerusalem, where Jesus intimated that He was about to suffer many things?

We must remember that Jesus took on Him our human nature and that, as a man subject to temptation, Peter probably voiced the temptation that was in His own soul—to avoid this way of peril and duty. But Jesus did

not hesitate. For Himself and for His disciples there was only the way of truth and duty. The test of discipleship was self denial and willingness to bear the Cross.

## SERIAL STORY

# SKI'S THE LIMIT

BY ADELAIDE HUMPHRIES

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**CAST OF CHARACTERS**  
SALLY BLAIR—heroine. She had everything that popularity could win her, except  
DAN REYNOLDS—hero. He might have had Sally but while he was king on skis  
COREY PORTER was king of the social whirl. So... But go on with the story.

Yesterday, Seeing Dan only convinces Sally that she still loves him. Later that day Sally and Dan lose their trail in a storm.

## CHAPTER XXIV

If they had missed the trail they might, with one misstep, plunge over the side of the canyon, 5000 feet in depth. Sally shivered. "What else can we do?" she asked Corey. She easily could have given up, too; her every breath was an agony to her lungs, her hands and feet were heavy cakes of ice. "We can't stay here all night. We'd freeze to death. They'd dig us out in the spring—and we wouldn't be a pretty sight!"

"Shut up!" Corey snapped. "I mean—don't talk that way. Even in fun." He knew a person could easily die of exposure on such a night. He prided himself on being a good sport, but this was a bit too thick for him.

"I'm going on," Sally said flatly. "You can come with me, or not—suit yourself." She plunged blindly ahead, using the tiny wheel of each ski pole to feel her way and lend support, inching along, floundering and groping.

"Wait! Wait for me!" Corey panted, a few feet behind her. The snow was so heavy now that a few steps took one almost out of sight. They dared not become separated for even a few seconds.

Sally waited, but she could not help a slight feeling of contempt. Corey should have been the one to have led the way, to have lent her courage.

She thought of Dan. If only they had taken his advice. Dan who knew these mountains so well, who would not have missed the trail. For Sally had learned that Dan had been staying at Lake Placid for several months, instructing, guiding parties, getting in form for the meet.

BUT there was no use thinking of Dan now, she told herself grimly. Dan, whom she might never see again. Who had asked her not to go up into the mountains today.

"It's hopeless. We can't go on in this storm," Corey said. His voice broke as he spoke.

"We must go on," Sally returned through lips that were stiff and almost blue. She had fallen down twice, once she had struck a tree. Even her heavy woolen parka and thick ski knickers did not keep out the cold.

Dan would never have given up, she thought. Not until there was absolutely no hope. She had resolved she would not think of him, yet it was this thought that made her struggle on, against all hope as it seemed. Once in a while the storm lifted for a second, then she could see 10 or 12 feet ahead, the tangled underbrush weighted down with its white burden, the tall pines bent with the wind's wild fury.

She struggled on, panting, sucking great drafts of icy air, automatically striking out, forcing her aching limbs onward. Corey groped and lunged on beside her, now behind her.

"I tell you we can't go on," he yelled at her once more, and Sally stopped to look at him. Poor Corey, he couldn't take it, after all. For all his smug pride, his arrogance and superiority, he lacked Dan's drive, resourcefulness. She saw him with crystal clearness in this blinding moment. She knew then that she never could have really loved Corey. She never could have married him, though she wore his ring.

"We'll have to find the trail, Corey," she said. "We'll have to keep on—until we drop."

SHE did so weary now it really did not matter whether they kept on or not. It would have been much easier to have given up, much simpler. But something within Sally Blair would not let her do that. She had been born a fighter. She would have to keep on fighting to the end.

What was that she heard above the storm, the angry wailing of the wind? She lifted her head,

## Porkers Will Meet Mustangs at Dallas

Razorbacks Ready for Defense of Conference Championship

DALLAS, Texas—(AP)—The University of Arkansas' powerful young basketball squad invaded Texas Thursday in defense of its 1938 Southwest Conference championship.

Southern Methodist University's veteran squad was primed to test the Razorbacks first in games here Friday and Saturday night.

Coach Forrest C. Baccus of the Mustangs will start three seniors—Billy Dwell, J. D. Norton and Chelson Grouch—against the Arkansans who have only one senior—Neil Martin—on their squad. The Methodists also have a junior star in Herbert Canefax and only one sophomore, Virgil Wilkerson. The Porkers, however, will have four sophomores—John Adams, Gerald Friberger, Howard Hickey and Gerald Commill.

Coach Glen Rose of Arkansas probably would be satisfied to split the SMU games but Baccus wants to take both ends of the doubleheader. Arkansas teams traditionally improve with the season and SMU wouldn't have much chance to pull ahead later. Last year Arkansas beat the Mustangs at Fayetteville 32-23 and 34-26.

Rice Institute and Texas A. and M. opened the Southwest Conference schedule Thursday night at College Station. Other games this week find Texas Christian playing Baylor at Waco Friday night and the University of Texas battling Rice at Houston Saturday night.

## CLUB NOTES

### Mt. Nebo

The Mt. Nebo Home Demonstration club held its December meeting in the home of Mrs. G. C. Powell with Miss Bullington, nine members and one visitor present.

Miss Bullington gave a demonstration on how to make several useful articles from thrift material. The same officers were re-elected for the new year.

The club members exchanged Christmas gifts. The gifts were taken from a beautiful Christmas tree by Santa Claus.

The next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. John Laha on January 26.

SYRACUSE—Foul lines at the Syracuse baseball park are designated by red lights for night games.

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## Dizzy Dean Signs Chicago Contract

Physician Says Dean's Arm Ok—Dizzy Begins to Pop Off

CHICAGO—(AP)—Dizzy Dean's famed right arm breezed over two fast ones Thursday.

Within less time than it once took him to win a nine-inning underdog duel, the loquacious Chicago Cubs pitcher signed his 1939 contract and then passed, with flying colors, an examination of the right shoulder muscles which troubled him last season after the Cubs bought him for \$185,000 and three players.

"Boy, was this a red-letter day for me," he grinned. "That of flipper is gonna be all right and the Cubs show me they're sure of it. What a club to work for. Why, if I don't win 20 games next season I'll sign for nothin' in 1940."

That statement, like others he made in rapid fire order, sounded like the dean of old-cocky confidence he would deliver. The Cubs think he would deliver. They didn't reveal salary terms but Dean, it was reliably reported, will receive \$20,000, the same salary he had last year when he appeared in only 13 contests, winning seven and losing one.

Dr. Sumner L. Koeh, who examined Dean's arm, reported the injured muscles almost completely healed and predicted Dean would have several more years of good pitching left if he rests the arm carefully this spring. Dean will not throw a ball until after weeks at spring camp, during which time he will get his wind and legs in shape.

### Dean Is 27 Years Old

CHICAGO—(AP)—Jerome (Dizzy) Dean would like it understood, once and for all, that he is 27 years old and was born January 16, 1911, at Lucas, Arkansas.

The Chicago Cubs pitcher, here to sign his 1939 contract, said there had been so much argument over his age, and date and place of birth that he did something about it this winter.

"My Aunt Maude Nelson had a family Bible that showed I'll be 28 January 16," said Diz. "Just to prove it I got a copy of my birth certificate at Little Rock, Ark. Huh! The idea some people say I don't know how old I was."

## No Changes to Be Made in Aggie Grid Staff

COLLEGE STATION—(AP)—The Texas A. and M. College athletic council put at rest Thursday rumors of impending changes in the school's coaching staff.

Rumors had been heard that Homer Norton, football coach, would be replaced, but the council voted unanimously it did not contemplate any change.

### Keeping Busy

ST. PAUL—Dick Siebert, Philadelphia Athletics first baseman, is coaching the Concordia College basketball team.

Vitamin A deficiency in the driver is the cause of many night auto accidents, reports the Federal Home Economics Bureau. We thought it was mostly I. Q. trouble.

### Legal Notice

STREET IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT NO. 6 SPECIAL ASSESSMENT

The tax books for collection of the special assessment upon real property in Street Improvement District No. 6 of the City of Hope, Arkansas, for the purpose of paving those parts of all streets within the boundaries of said district and the streets located therein, reference is herein made to the ordinance creating the district, have been placed in my hands.

All owners of real property lying in said district are required to pay their assessments to me within 30 days from this date. If such payment is not made, action will be commenced at the end of that time for the collection of said assessment and for legal penalties and costs.

This tax may be paid without penalty on or before February 15, 1939 and for the convenience of property owners the undersigned collector will be at the Citizens National Bank, in the said city, from the first day of February until the 15th day of February, 1939 both days inclusive, for the purpose of receiving and collecting said tax assessment.

Given under my hand this 6th day of January, 1939.

W. P. AGEE, Collector.

Jan. 6, 1939.

CURB AND GUTTER DISTRICT NO. 2 SPECIAL ASSESSMENT

The tax books for collection of the special assessment upon real property in Curb and Gutter District No. 2 of the City of Hope, Arkansas, for the purpose of putting in curb and gutter on those parts of all streets within the boundaries of said district and for the exact boundaries of said district and streets located therein, reference is herein made to the ordinance creating said district, have been placed in my hands.

All owners of real property lying in said district are required to pay their assessments to me within 30 days from this date. If such payment is not made, action will be commenced at the end of that time for the collection of said assessment and for legal penalties and costs.

This tax may be paid without penalty on or before February 15, 1939 and for the convenience of property owners the undersigned collector will be at the Citizens National Bank, in said city, from the first day of February until the 15th day of February, 1939 both days inclusive, for the purpose of receiving and collecting said assessments.

Given under my hand this 6th day of January, 1939.

W. P. AGEE, Collector.

Jan. 6-13.

## No Plans to Enlarge Sugar Bowl Stadium

NEW ORLEANS—(AP)—Thirty-nine New Orleans business men supervising the week of mid-winter athletics culminating in the Sugar Bowl football game each New Year's Day intend to develop their claim but not to jump that of the California Race Bowl.

There is no present intention of increasing the 51,000 capacity of Tulane Stadium, which is the football Sugar Bowl, nor could New Orleans hotels accommodate a throng vastly greater than that which came here to see Texas Christian University defeat Carnegie Tech 15-7 last Monday.

One of the committee officials, talking against an admission by ballot to give no exclusive information in the race for national advertising of the Crescent City, said that in the next five years Sugar Bowl football attendance could be expected to increase no more than 15 per cent above the capacity crowd which saw TCU and Carnegie Tech.

For that standard football game the Sugar Bowl could have sold probably 85,000 to 90,000 tickets, it was indicated despite the last of a dense population from which to draw, but to increase Tulane Stadium's seating capacity to accommodate such a crowd would cost more than could be amortized conveniently.

NEW YORK—Torchy Poden claims the worst enemy of a six-day bicycle rider is spare time.

## BARBS

That English cold wave was felt clear down in India. An Indian prince has offered his English mansion for sale after living in it only 24 days.

Representative Dies doesn't want any "Corcorans or Cohens" inserting the stiletto from the rear. That Corcoran guy probably would use a shillalah.

For those of you who expect to be boxing a shark pretty soon we pass along the information that the fish is easily killed by a blow on the snout where the brains are close to the surface.

Television probably means a lot of the radio stars should be heard but not seen.

**BUTANE Gas Systems**

For Rural Homes

**Harry W. Shiver**

PLUMBING-ELECTRICAL

SHOP--COMPARE

**FLASH**

White Goods Special for Saturday

Goes on Sale at 10 o'clock

1000 yds—Close Out

36-in Heavy Weight

**OUTING**

5c yard

**PENNEY'S**

ACROSS STREET FROM POSTOFFICE

WHERE HOPE SHOPS AND SAVES

Charter No. 12533 Reserve District No. 8

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE

**First National Bank**

OF HOPE, IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON DECEMBER 31, 1938

(Published in Response to Call Made by Comptroller of the Currency, Under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes)

ASSETS	Dollars Cts.
Loans and discounts (including none overdrafts).....	404,599.67
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed.....	278,805.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions.....	125,624.26
Corporate stocks, including stock of Federal Reserve Bank.....	3,600.00
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection.....	362,967.70
Furniture and fixtures.....	1.00
Real estate owned other than bank premises.....	1.00
<b>Total Assets.....</b>	<b>1,175,598.63</b>

LIABILITIES	Dollars Cts.
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations.....	414,633.35
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations.....	424,232.36
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings).....	5,000.00
Deposits of States and political subdivisions.....	103,615.96
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.).....	5,332.28
<b>Total Deposits.....</b>	<b>1,022,813.95</b>
<b>Total Liabilities.....</b>	<b>1,022,813.95</b>

CAPITAL ACCOUNT	Dollars Cts.
Common, total par \$100,000.00.....	100,000.00
Surplus.....	25,000.00
Undivided profits.....	21,784.68
Reserves.....	6,000.00
<b>Total Capital Account.....</b>	<b>152,784.68</b>
<b>Total Liabilities and Capital Account.....</b>	<b>1,175,598.63</b>

**MEMORANDA**

Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value):  
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities.....

Total..... 269,205.00

Secured liabilities:  
Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law..... 250,450.00

Total..... 250,450.00

State of Arkansas, County of Hempstead, ss:  
I, Syd McMath, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 5th day of January, 1939.  
Genie Chamberlain, Notary Public.  
My Commission expires Aug. 20, 1939.

Correct—Attest:  
**LLOYD SPENCER**  
**HARRY J. LEMLEY**  
**N. P. O'NEAL**, Directors.

**RECAPITULATION RESOURCES**

Loans..... \$ 122,290.62  
C. C. C. Cotton Loans..... 282,309.05  
Furniture and fixtures..... 1.00  
Real Estate..... 1.00  
U. S. Government Bonds..... 278,805.00  
Bonds and Securities..... 125,624.26  
Cash and Sight Exchange..... 362,967.70

Total..... \$1,175,598.63

**LIABILITIES**

Capital Stock..... \$ 100,000.00  
Surplus..... 25,000.00  
Undivided Profits..... 21,784.68  
Reserved for Dividend..... 6,000.00  
Deposits..... 1,022,813.95

Total..... \$1,175,598.63

**OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS**  
**LLOYD SPENCER**, President  
**HARRY J. LEMLEY**, Vice-President  
**N. P. O'NEAL**, Vice-President  
**SYD McMATH**, Cashier  
**ROY STEPHENSON**, Assistant Cashier  
**E. P. STEWART**  
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